

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Monday, January 20, 2020
9:00 AM PST

- Day 1 (Mon): Travel impacts due to snow in the mountains primarily in Inland Region starting late tonight

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

01/20/20 - 01/26/20

Monday-Tuesday

- The next storm system will move into the state late Monday night and continue through much of Tuesday, with the heaviest precipitation across Coastal and Inland Region
 - Travel impacts due to snow in the mountains primarily in Inland Region
 - 2 to 6 inches of snow expected above 4000 to 5000 feet with locally higher amounts
 - Gusty south winds 20 to 30 mph with gusts up to 50 mph along the northern CA coast Monday night through Tuesday morning
 - Wind gusts up to 15 mph in the inland valleys and up to 30 mph in the inland mountains

Wednesday-Friday

- Dry conditions across much of the state outside of some light precipitation at times across the northern coastal areas. No significant impacts.

Saturday-Sunday

- Next storm system will bring valley rain and mountain snow to the central and northern portions of the state. Travel will be impacted over the mountains due to the snow.



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

01/20/20 - 01/26/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Inland Coastal	Inland Coastal					
Snow	Inland	Inland				Inland	Inland
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



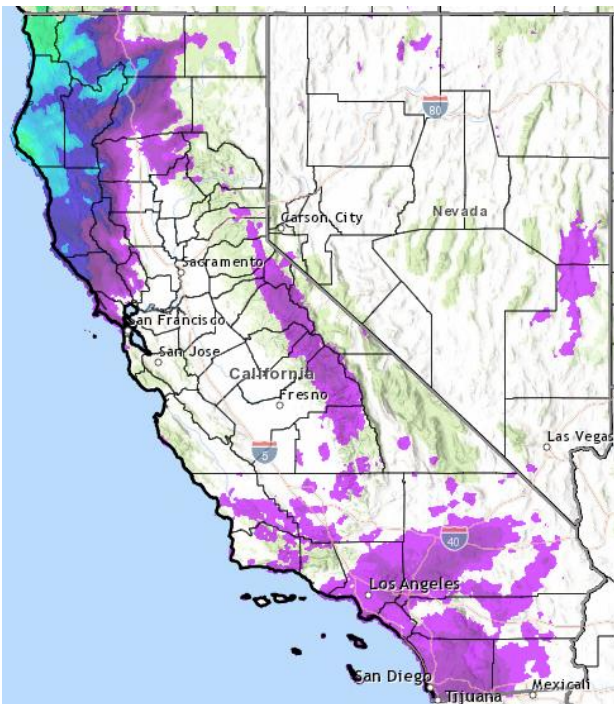
Moderate Impacts



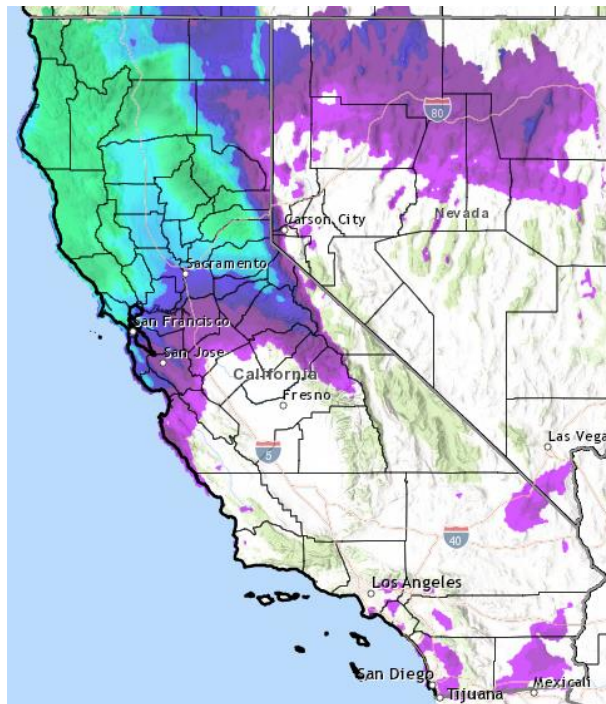
Severe Impacts

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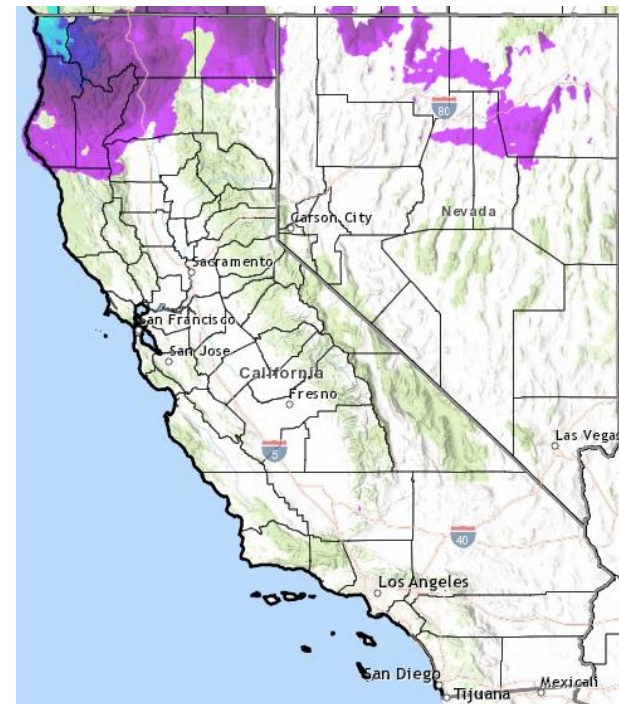
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Monday/
Monday Night



Tuesday/
Tuesday Night



Wednesday/
Wednesday Night

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

01/25/20 - 02/02/20

6-10 Day Outlook (January 25 – January 29)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures favored statewide

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation favored statewide

8-14 Day Outlook (January 27 – February 2)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures favored statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation favored statewide



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